# COUNCIL AMENDS LIQUOR ORDINANCE

Attempts to Filibuster by "Interested Councilmen" Prove Unsuccessful.

TOO MANY READY TO PASS IT

Druggists Made No Provision For in Amended Regulation-Clubs Given Special Privilege.

Too many of the city councilmen were ready to consider the liquor regulation ordinance last night for it to again be passed to reference, the result being that in three respects, Salt Lake has a new law governing the sale of liquor. But one member, Councliman Walter C. Lyne, voted against the amendments to the old ordinance, drafted by Asst. City Atty. Daly.

With the introduction of the amendments, Councilman Mulvey was on his feet strenuously objecting to consideration of the proposition at last night's session. He proposed that it be referred to the committee on municipal laws, associated with the committee on leaves. Councilman Fernstrom had license. Councilman Fernstrom had some well defined ideas regarding the amendments and the immediate need of a change, which he presented with the result that on the vote which fol-lowed, the motion for immediate consideration carried,

The amendments came before the council without a signature. Following the reading, Mulvey asked for the name of the signer. There had been none attached. While Mulvey was objecting to the measure on the ground it was unsigned, Councilman McKinney attached his name to the instrument, explaining he desired to get the matter before the council without further delay. The amendments came before the

FEATURES OF ORDINANCE.

The new features of the old liquor The new features of the old liquor regulation ordinance, after the council finished building it over last night, are several in number. First of these, a clear definition of the term manufacturer as used in the ordinance is given; the privilege of a license is taken from druggists; the license for restaurants is placed at \$375 a quarter, or \$1,500 a year; rooming houses or hotels without bars in connection will not be issued licenses, The remainder of the amendments are merely rehash of the old ordinance.

of the old ordinance,
First of the amendments to be taken up was that regarding a \$100 quarterly tax on manufacturers and manu-facturers' agents. The old law specified a tax of 10 cents a barrel on all beer sold by these concerns, it having been the supposition of the framers of that ordinance that a 10-cent per barthat ordinance that a 10-cent per barrel tax would yield the city a greater revenue than the straight \$400 a year license. This has proven untrue and to this extent, the amendments alter the old law regarding manufacturers. The motion of Councilman Moreton that this amendment be adopted presented.

Councilman McKinney moved that the amendment providing for a quar-terly license of \$375 for restaurants selling liquor be adopted. Councilman Mell corpored this amendment on the selling liquor be adopted. Councilman Hall opposed this amendment on the ground that the license specified is the same as that provided for saloons. He declared the principal business of a restaurant is to serve meals and the sale of liquor is a side issue, whereas, the sale of liquor is the business of the saleon and he could see no fairness in the restaurants on a parity taxing the restaurants on a parity with the saloons.

The question coming to a yote, it was apparent that Councilman Hall's views were shared by none others of the council and his was the one dis-

senting voice.

It was set forth in the defense of the restaurant amendment made by several of the councilmen that there are numerous restaurants in the city selfing liquor with no license other than

federal. DRUGGISTS' LICENSES.

The provision for a quarterly license of \$375 for drugglsts came next in order and provoked a lively debate for a few minutes. Reedall moved that druggists' sale of intoxicants be restricted to physicians' prescription, with the retail license denied them. Councilman Lyne declared that if the druggist wanted to pay the \$375 a quarter for the privilege of selling in-toxicants, he should be permitted to do so. Mr. Hall suggested that all mention of license for druggists be elim inated from the amended ordinance, thus leaving no provision for this class of license. Reedall's motion was put

of heense. Receding motion was put to a vote and carried 8 to 5.

The amendments provided for a quarterly license of \$150 for legitimate clubs. Councilman Mulvey objected to the clubs being allowed a lower rate than saloons. He declared the council had no right to discriminate in this matter. Councilman Fernstrom took sides with the clubs and cited the victory just won by the Commercial club and its auxiliary organizations which will save the people of Salt Lake many thousands of dollars lake many thousands of dolars through the reduction of the price of coal. This was merely one of the beneficts the city derives from clubs of the first order, he declared, and he was not in faver of slapping the organizations in the face when they were bending every effort for the good of the

Mr. Fernstrom also held that the adoption of the amendment would give the city a much needed hand hold on the illegal clubs which are selling llavor with no license at all. Mr. Reed made the motion to adopt the amend-ment, Hodgson alone voting against it. The amended ordinance

The amended ordinance was then passed as a whole, with Lyne alone voting in the negative.

The resolution presented last Monday by Taxpayer Mulvey was withdrawn by Councilman Mulvey after the work of revamping the ordinance had been failshed.

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One hundred and fourteen applica-One numbers and fourteen applica-tions for Houor licenses were hold up-pending a general investigation of the manner in which the applicants have or have not been complying with the aw have not been complying with the law in the past. A committee was appointed to assist Chief of Police S. M. Barlow in making this investigation, consisting of the following members: McKinney, O'Donnell, Fernstrom, Lyne and Mulvey. COUNCIL ROUTINE.

LeGrande Young again protested to the city council last evening, in a communication to that body, that he had suffered a loss in his deal with the city. He alleges that in the purchase of certain land which he purchased from the city, he had been "short changed"—not purposely—but neverbeless, effectually, in short, both Mr. Young and the members of the city council, who went to, look over the land in question before the negotiation was completed, thought he was buying a certain 10 acres, which a subsequent survey has shown he did not purchase. LeGrande Young again protested to

not purchase.

This land is located in section 16, township 1, range 2 east, in Emigration canyon and his idea in purchasing it is to add it to a summer resort

which he purposes to establish. The land had been purchased from Mr. Young in the first place by the city and he offered to pay the city as much for it in return, with interest added on the money, as the city had paid him for it. The matter was placed in the hands of the city engineer and A. F. Doremus, who looks after the city's interests in the matter of sewerage and as this proposition has to do with possibly unsanitary conditions, he will report in connection with the engineer.

O. E. Vom Bauer declared his farm near Crescent had been damaged to the extent of \$2,000 by seepage from the Salt Lake and Jordan canal and presented a claim for that amount. This matter was given to the public grounds committee.

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Mrs. Susanah P. Smith wants the canal near Crescent regalred before the water is turned in next spring. She declares the ditch has not been properly cleaned and the resultant seepage is damaging her land.

The fence around the Newhouse theater site will be removed, if the request of the Coombs Drug company and others is regarded.

The city attorney's office advised the council that, in the matter of the revocation of the poolroom license granted for Sixth South and Seventh East, the council has authority to act

East, the council has authority to act as it sees fit, if cause for such revoca-

as it sees fit, if cause for such revoca-tion can be shown.

The application of E. Mehesy, Jr., for a picture show license at 274 south Main street was given to the committee on license. The place is located within 62 feet of a saloon and the matter was passed up to the council by the license assessor.

Pay rolls for the half month ending Dec. 15, were submitted by Auditor Rudolph Alff. These aggregated \$13,-199.34 and were approved.

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General Manager for Sullivan & Con sidine Outlines Plans for Prospective Big Playhouse.

According to Fred Lincoln, the gen eral manager of the Sullivan & Considine theatrical syndicate, the new Empress theater, which is to be erected where the Hooper-Eldredge building where the Hooper-Eldredge building now stands on upper Main street, will be commenced at once and rushed to completion, \$250,000 having been set aside for the purpose. Mr. Lincoln says that the playhouse will be one of the finest in the United States; and its attractions will be the best of vaudeville. "The Empress," said Mr. Lincoln. "will be patterned after the Sullivan & Considine house recently erected in Kansas City. The new theater will be unique and beautiful. It will seat 1,800

& Considine house recently erectak in Kansas City. The new theater will be unique and beautiful. It will seat 1,800 people and the most modern conveniences will be installed. A feature of the arrangement of the building will be the oval room opening off the entrance lobby. Here comfortable settees, rugs and potted plants will make an other title spat for nations of the attractive spot for patrons of the

house."
"Popular prices will prevail and Salt Lakers will be given the best of vaude

All of the big shows of Considine & Sullivan open in Cincinnati, and are vaudeville acts are sent from there over the northern circuit via Chicago, St. Paul, Milwaukee and Seattle, in which the Sullivan & Considine interests con-trol 32 large and up-to-date playhouses.

### CHANGE OF PRESIDENCY.

Thomas E. Bassett of Fremont Suc ceeded by Mark Austin.

At the stake conference of the Fremont stake, held in Rexburg, Idaho, on Orson F. Whitney, a change in the stake presidency was effected. Elder Thomas E. Bassett, who had filed the nositive. Sunday, which was attended by Bishop position for a number of years past, was released from the office, and Mark Austin of Sugar City, was appointed in his stead. President Austin chose as his counselors Elder Albert Heath of Rexburg, first counselor, and Elder John Blake of Sugar City, as second

### CHRISTMAS NEWS RUSH.

Pleasant Compliment From Dr James E. Talmage.

The rush of orders for The Christmas News continued yesterday and today, and the indications are that unless newsdealers at remote points send in returns, the sign "Sold Out" will be hung up in The News office tomorrow

night.

A pleasant compliment for the issue came through the mail this morning in the shape of the following note from Dr. James E. Talmage, who said he had sent several copies away and innight. tended to send more:

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"I congratulate the business management and the editorial staff on the production of such a magnificent number. The Christmas News of a decade agowas great and grand, and the issue has improved every year since. The current issue is, in my judgment, the finest that has ever appeared, and I doubt not, it will be the poorest of all that are yet to come.

"For the Deseret News family I wish the best Christmas greetings, health and good cheer and may The News live long and prosper."

### FIRE DOES SLIGHT DAMAGE.

A small fire causing a loss of about \$5 called out department No. 2 under Chief Glore about 8 o'clock this morning. Sparks from the chimney had ing. Sparks from the chimney had fallen on the roof of the house occupied by Mrs. P. McAleer at 137 north Main street and had burned a hole about a foot square in the roof. The house is owned by the Pearce-Anderson Realty

A private safe may be rented in the fire and burglar-proof vaults of the Salt Lake Security & Trust Co., 32-34 Main street, \$2.00 per year.

### THIEVES STEAL AUTO ROBES.

Two lap robes were stolen from an automobile owned by C. L. Whitney while it was standing in front of 107 F street last night. Mr. Whitney values the stolen property at \$10.

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Fish and Game of All Kinds Have Increased Under Protection.

PLENTIFUL IN SOUTHWEST

Deputy Warden Miah Day Here for Brief Visit Talks of Existing Conditions

Careful enforcement of wisely enacted state game laws has had an effeet so beneficial that throughout all of the southwestern part of Utah game of all kinds is reported to be increasing and good sport is assured for an indefinite period.

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When seen at the New Windsor this morning, Miah Day, fish and game warden for the six districts of southwestern Utah spoke in glowing terms of the results of the unceasing work of the game department.

"Practically all of the streams of this section of Utah are well stocked with game fish," he said, "and the possfbility of a clearing out of trout fishing has now become an avoidable calamity. In Millard county, Oak Creek and Clear Lake are veritable Arcadias for the fisherman, and Beaver county throughout has now achieved an enviable reputation for the excellence of its trout fishing. Its streams are too numerous to mention as they are nearly all of the A 1 class.

"In Washington county we have the Enterprise reservoir, which of course, did not contain a fish when it was in the summer of the contain a fish when it was a first was a first was a first whom it is the contain a first whom it is the contained and the contain a first whom it is the contained and th

ly all of the A 1 class.

"In Washington county we have the Enterprise reservoir, which of course, did not contain a fish when it was first constructed. The first shipment of native and Eastern Brook trout was planted there in October, 1909. This season trout seven inches long have been taken from this place showing as nothing else could, that the reservoir is conductive to the most rapid growth of this variety of game.

"Throughout all six of the districts of which I have charge a most satisfactory increase in deer this year has been shown, and practically every hunter who has gone into the woods after a pair of antiers has returned with an excellent trophy. Nearly every train from Lynn and other southern points loaded deer onto the baggage cars; in fact, so often that an increase of the deer is undeniable.

"Antelope are increasing in all of the districts, and more than one has been killed by nassing trains, showing that districts, and more than one has been killed by passing trains, showing that they are becoming quite tame under the protection afforded by the law.

"In Millard county the ducks, this year, have been exceptionally numerous and extraordinarily fat. We have not seen one sick duck the entire year.

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Speaking of Fillmore, Mr. Day said: "Fillmore now has a population of 1,202 and is forging ahead rapidly, though of course, not quite so fast as it would were it not 28 miles from the railroad. There has been some talk of an extension of the railroad from Nephi and also from Lynn on the main line of the San Pedro; but though nothing definite has been done, the resources and increased population of the country make the matter eventualthe country make the matter eventually inevitable."

### RUSH AT POSTOFFICE.

Clerks and Carriers Kept Busy All Day.

In every department of the postoffice the holiday rush kept every clerk working at breakneck speed this morning, and the business handled by the local onice will undoubtedly surpass all pre-vious records. Seventeen additional clerks and carriers have been put on to handle the Christmas packages, but in all probability several more clerks will be needed this week

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For the first 15 days of this month the money order department shows that 1,515 foreign orders have been filled out and 4,996 domestic orders issued. The foreign orders amount to \$19,500 while the domestic orders reach a total of \$49,800. A total of \$206,803,66 was received from various offices in the state and surrounding states in this district as a surrous, the smaller offices sending ceded this week. s a surplus, the smaller offices sending he money to Salt Lake for safe keep-

ing.

The new carriers are Joseph E. Schiess, J. J. Walsh. C. J. Johnson, R. Davies, George Hickenlooper, C. A. Howell, R. E. Aubrey, N. E. Wagstaff, George St. Clair and LeRoy LaMont.

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HAUERBACH AT HOME.

Salt Lake Playwright Visiting With His Parents,

Otto Hauerbach, musical comedy writer, classmate of Maude Adams in the old Salt Lake school days and one of the most successful playwrights Utah has yet produced, is spending the holidays at the home of his father William P. Hauerbach of East Capitol and Lafayette streets, He came from New York city and has been absent

Twins," which was recently seen in Salt Lake, and they also wrote "Bright Eyes," which is to come to Salt Lake in the near future.

Mr. Hauerbach is the sole author of the libretto of "Madame Sherry" which has had a six months run in New York; and another of his works, "Girl of My Dreams" is running in Philadelphia.

"The Fascinating Widow," now being played in Chicago, is the joint work of Mr. Hauerbach and Julian Ellinge, the famous female impersonator. "The Prosecuting Attorney." Mr.

Hauerbach's only serious drama, will oe produced the coming spring.

Mr. Hauerbach was born in Salt
Lake City and received his education it the Collegiate Institute.

PROSPERING IN WASHINGTON.

Thomas Judd of St. George a Visitor

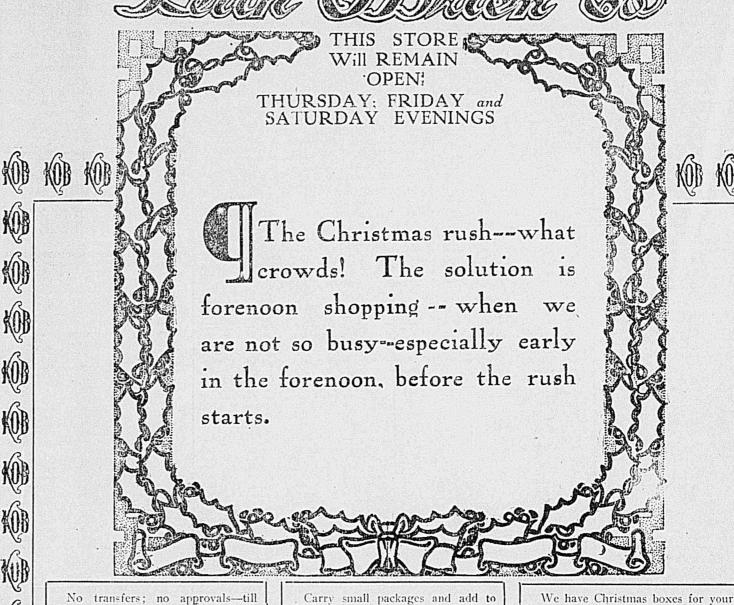
In the City.

and Iron counties the market for the St. George crop was exceptionally

year, this being especially true of

neaches. On account of frosts in Emery

"St. George citizens," said Mr. Judd.
"are so satisfied that a railroad will
enter the territory during the next
year that every arrangement is being
made for that event. When the raiload does come a large influx of peo-Thomas Judd of St. George, who was in Salt Lake City on business today, reports that the fruit crop of



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Women's, Misses' and Children's Jersey leggins, red or Misses' and children's Fur trimmed Juliets in gray or red

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